535A.3 Discretion of financial institution.

Nothing contained in this chapter shall preclude a financial institution from applying economically sound underwriting practices in contemplation of any mortgage loan to any person. Such practices shall include but are not limited to the following:

- 1. The willingness and the financial ability of the borrower to repay the mortgage loan.
- 2. The appraised value of any real estate or other item of property proposed as security for any mortgage loan.
 - 3. Diversification of the financial institution's investment portfolio. [C79, 81, §535A.3] $_{\rm Referred\ to\ in\ \S535A.6}$